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A. C. ARMSTRONG & SON will publish at once, by arrangement with Mr. Spurgeon's publishers, a new and authorized life of Mr. Spurgeon, entitled "From the Usher's Desk to the Tabernacle Pulpit," including his last sickness, with portraits of Mr. Spurgeon, family portraits and 60 other illustrations.

FUNK & WAGNALLS CO. will publish on the 20th inst. a "Life of Charles Haddon Spurgeon," with anecdotal reminiscences by G. Holden Pike, of London. The American edition will have a concluding chapter by an American editor, and an introduction by William Cleaver Wilkinson, also a portrait.

HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & CO. will publish during the month two new editions of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," both to be included in the *Riverside*

Paper Series. One will be the regular number in the series, the other will be known as the *Universal Edition* and will be issued as an extra number of the series, in very attractive paper covers, and also bound in a striking and novel cover. The first edition will consist of 100,000 copies, and the demand already indicates that it will be quickly absorbed.

LEE & SHEPARD have ready this week a new edition of "Wendell Phillips' Speeches" in two volumes; "Methods of Instruction and Organization in the German Schools," by John F. Prince, Agent of the Massachusetts State Board of Education; "Physical Science, Its Factors and Relations," by Prof. A. E. Dolbear, of Tufts College; "Dreams of the Dead," by Edward Stanton, a peculiar book treating of occult and other theoretical sciences; "Golden Guess," by John Vance Cheney, a series of literary essays; and "Wood Notes Wild," by Simeon Pease Cheney. Oscar Fay Adams has written a book which will probably stir up strife, to be known as the "Presumptions of Sex."

THOMAS NELSON'S SONS have ready an entirely new atlas by J. G. Bartholomew entitled "The Graphic Atlas and Gazetteer of the World," with over 220 maps, charts, plans of cities, etc., all revised to present date, and a gazetteer of nearly 55,000 places and results of new census. Throughout the atlas the countries of the world have been treated with fulness in proportion to their commercial importance and interest. In the United States section a separate map is given of each of the States and Territories. The Canadian provinces are treated in similar detail. The maps have been specially compiled from the latest and best Government Survey Maps, and have undergone local revision for the verification of new counties, townships and railways. Considering the vast amount of information given the atlas is a marvel of compactness and practicability.

HARPER & BROS. have just ready "The Letters of Count Helmuth von Moltke to His Mother and His Brothers," a selection from the family correspondence of the great German soldier, covering a period of nearly seventy years. The incidental allusions to public affairs and notable historical events have special significance to politicians and soldiers of every country, while all readers must be charmed with the picture given of the Count's affectionate qualities and happy domestic relations. The new volume in *The Queen's Prime Ministers* series is "The Marquis of Salisbury," by H. D. Traill, and there is a volume of "Lyrics" by Cora Fabbri, who died at San Remo last year just after having received an advance copy of her little book which the publishers have printed tastefully on thick paper with a title in black and red. Mr. Hardy's long-expected novel, "Tess of the D'Urbervilles: a pure woman faithfully presented," is also just issued, and is a story that will no doubt lead to much discussion, the author having chosen a most difficult theme the vindication of the character and motives of a woman who remains wholly pure though passing through many trials caused by the sins of her surroundings. "A Homeric Dictionary for Schools and Colleges," based upon the German of Dr. Georg Autenrieth, translated by Robert P. Keep, now revised by Professor Isaac Flagg, of the University of California, was first published in 1876, but has again been copyrighted for a new career of success.

WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.*

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***American and English encyclopædia of law**; comp. under the editorial supervision of J: Houston Merrill. V. 17. [Obiter dictum to Partnership.] Northport, N. Y., E: Thompson Co., 1892. c. 8+1352 p. O. shp., \$6.50.

***American and English railroad cases**; a coll. of all the railroad cases in the courts of last resort in America and England; ed. by W: M. McKinney. V. 47. Northport, N. Y., E: Thompson Co., [1891.] c. 9+726 p. O. shp., \$4.50.

Andrews, S: J. The life of our Lord upon the earth, considered in its historical, chronological and geographical relations. *New and wholly rev. ed.* N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 27+651 p. O. cl., \$2.50.

This book was first published in 1862. The author was born at Danbury, Conn., in 1817, educated at Williams College, admitted to the bar, afterwards became Congregational minister, and in 1868, having adopted the Irvingite doctrines, he became pastor of the Catholic Apostolic Church at Hartford, Conn. Seventy-seven new authorities have been added to the former list of authors consulted, and the work has been accurately brought up to date in its descriptions of the Holy Land and other points on which Biblical students of the past thirty years have poured the light of knowledge. The present work differs from the original in putting the longer discussions into small type, which gains space and enables the average reader to pass them by unless interested to carry his investigations further.

Autenrieth, G: A Homeric dictionary for schools and colleges; based upon the German of Dr. G: Autenrieth; tr. by Rob. P. Keep; rev. by I: Flagg. N. Y., Harper, 1891 [1892.] c. '76, '91. 14+297 p. il. maps, cl., \$1.10.

This book first went on record in the P. W. "Weekly Record" of December 2, 1876. In fifteen years fifteen thousand copies have been sold and the book has been found well adapted to promote the rapid reading of large portions of the Iliad and Odyssey. The present revision is by a Professor of the University of California. An attempt to distinguish more clearly between the real and implied meanings of words, and a more concise and simple treatment of the prepositions, particles and conjunctions are the chief changes in this latest edition of a practical text-book.

***Baily, Rev. T. L.** Open ways. Phil., American Baptist Pub. Soc., 1892. 304 p. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

Barr, Mrs. Amelia E. Short stories. N. Y., Rob. Bonner's Sons, [1892.] c. '70, '91. 4—335 p. D. (The choice ser., no. 53.) pap., 50 c.

Beddow, B: Memories of Stambourne: stencillings by B: Beddow of Bradford-on-Avon Wilts. [Also] Personal remarks, recollections and reflections, by C: H. Spurgeon. N. Y., American Tract Soc., [1892.] 2—144 p. il. D. cl., 60 c.

In May, 1891, Mr. Spurgeon suffered from virulent influenza and went to the region near to Stambourne, his grandfather's country, in search of health and rest.

This pretty tract of country is in Essex County, on the border of Sussex County, in one of the lovely spots of southeastern England. This little volume is made up of the local history of little places and the reminiscences of two pastors connected with an ancient church in Stambourne.

***Bible.** The Newberry Bible: comprising the English-Hebrew Bible and the English-Greek Testament; adapted for the Biblical student and the ordinary reader. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1892. 8°, *Handy reference ed.*, \$7.50 to \$22; *Portable ed.*, \$7.25 to \$14.

Black, G: Ashton. History of municipal ownership of land on Manhattan Island to the beginning of sales by the commissioners of the sinking fund in 1844. N. Y., [Prof. Edwin R. A. Seligman, Columbia College,] 1891 [1892.] 4—83 p. map, plans, O. (Studies in history, economics and public law, v. 1, no. 3.) pap., 50 c.

Black, W: A daughter of Heth. *New [uniform] and rev. ed.* N. Y., Harper, 1892. 5+338 p. por. D. cl., 90 c.

The initial volume of a new uniform edition of Black's novels contains a prefatory note by the author dated London, January, 1892, in which he says he has thoroughly revised his books and corrected verbal and other inaccuracies, although he decided it to be impossible to accomplish the re-shaping and re-writing of some of the earlier works which he for a time had in contemplation.

Bowser, E: A. Elements of plane and solid geometry; with numerous exercises. 2d ed. Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1891 [1892.] c. '90. 7+393 p. il. D. cl., \$1.35.

Aims to combine the excellences of Euclid with those of the best modern writers, especially of Legendre, Rouché and Comberousse. It is desired to effect two objects: (1) to teach geometric truths; (2) to discipline and invigorate the mind to train it to habits of clear and consecutive reasoning. Many of the demonstrations are those of Euclid, with minor changes frequently introduced, but the arrangement is quite different. The first edition appeared in July, 1890.

Brockway, F: J., M.D. Essentials of physics arranged in the form of questions and answers: prepared especially for students of medicine. Phil., W. B. Saunders, 913 Walnut st., 1892. c. 2—330 p. il. D. (Saunders' question compends, no. 22.) cl., \$1.

The compiler is Assistant Demonstrator of Anatomy at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City. He has endeavored to make a book which shall be a mean between the elementary school-books and Ganot, which is too large to be used as a text-book.

Bromley, I: H. "Our Chauncey:" after-dinner rhymes; delivered at the annual dinner of the New York Yale Alumni Association, January 23, 1891; rev. and freshened with notes by the author; il. by C. D. Gibson and Dan Beard. N. Y., New York Printing Co., (The Republic Press,) 536—538 Pearl st., [1892.] c. '91. 46 p. obl. D. bds., \$1.

A string of comical couplets, tellingly illustrated, re-

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cite how Jove and Bacchus, thoroughly disgusted with after-dinner speeches, decide to despatch Mercury in search of "a dimpled baby, without blemish, stain or fault," who can be brought up from infancy as an after-dinner speaker. Mercury finds the treasure at Peekskill-on-the-Hudson, in the cradle of young Chauncey M. Depew. In 1852 Jove peremptorily ordered that the boy be sent to Yale, and the poem closes with much fun and many compliments to "our Chauncey."

Brooks, Bp. Phillips. The symmetry of life: address to young men; reprinted from 2d ser. of sermons. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1892. c. 32 p. S. pap., 25 c.

Brown, F. J. Streets and slums: a study in local municipal geography. Balt., Md., Cushings & Co., 1892. c. 21 p. maps, O. pap., 35 c.

The growth of countries is determined to a great extent by their physical geography, and the growth and development of cities depend largely upon their municipal geography, the laying out of the streets regularly or without regularity, the width and direction of the streets and their distance apart. The writer has Balti. more specially in view in his suggested improvements.

Buret, F., M.D. Syphilis in ancient and prehistoric times: from the French, with notes by A. H. Ohmann-Dumesnil. M.D. In 3 v. V. 1. Phil., F. A. Davis Co., 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 16+226 p. D. (Physicians and students' reference ser., no. 12.) cl., \$1.25.

An interminable list of authors have written upon this disease since the great epidemic of the fifteenth century. These authors Dr. Buret has read in chronological order. He began his researches in 1887. His object is to prove that this disease is as old as man. He sustains his thesis by quotations from all the classics of antiquity. The translator is Professor in the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons.

***California.** The mechanics' lien law for the state, with amendments down to and including those of 1891, compiled from the code of civil procedure and amendments thereto, by Zach Montgomery. San Diego, Stenhouse & Co., prs., 1891. c. 36 p. S. pap., 50 c.

***California.** *Supreme ct.* Reports of cases. C. P. Pomeroy, rep. V. 90, [1891.] San Francisco, Bancroft-Whitney Co., 1891. c. 32+716 p. O. shp., \$4.

***Calman's code time-table; cont.** an alphabetical arrangement of the various periods of time required by the laws of practice in all actions and proceedings in the courts of the state of New York, [etc.] 3d ed. rev. and enl. by Stewart Rapalje. N. Y., L. K. Strouse & Co., 1891. c. 143 p. D. hf. shp., \$1.50.

Carlyle, T. Lectures on the history of literature, delivered April to July, 1838, now printed for the first time; ed. with preface and notes by J. Reay Greene. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1892. c. 11+283 p. D. cl., \$1.

Twelve lectures. One of the lecturer's hearers, the late Thomas Chisholm Anstey, barrister-at-law, and subsequently member of Parliament for Youghal, took complete notes of the course, with the exception of the ninth lecture. Mr. Anstey had copies of these reports made by a few friends, and three of these have been compared. The whole course of literature is covered from Homer to Goethe. The lectures treat less of literature than of the causes of literature, its course and its significance. The omitted lecture dealt with French literature. Prof. Greene has made abundant annotations.

Coltman, Rob., jr., M.D. The Chinese, their present and future: medical, political and social. Phil., F. A. Davis Co., 1891. c. '91. 8+212 p. il. O. cl., net, \$1.75.

On April 8, 1885, the writer received his commission as a medical missionary physician and proceeded with his wife and infant son to the station of Chinanfu, the capital city of the province of Shantung in North

China. Dr. Coltman applied for this position to have the means of studying the details of the home and social life of the Chinese. This book is full of information on the work of the missionaries, the diseases of the Chinese, especially leprosy, the needs of China and the opportunity for European and American business enterprise within its immense territory, as yet, by reason of superstition, untraversed by more than one short line of railroad. Illustrated with photographs taken by the writer.

Craig, Mrs. Alethe Lowber, comp. Women of the world; with a search-light of epigram. Balt., Md., [Cushings & Co.,] 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 2-191 p. sq. S. cl., \$1.

A collection of the names of notable women, arranged chronologically, beginning with Cleopatra, A.D. 69, and ending with Mademoiselle Titien, 1834. A quotation from some author of repute describing the character of the woman is given with each name. The author wishes to get up another volume of this kind to be published in 1893, and offers prizes for the largest number of names and quotations. The index is a naïve production, many of the celebrities being hidden under the common entry of Madame, Mademoiselle, Princess, etc.

Cyclopædia of nature's teachings: selection of facts, observations, suggestions, illustrations, examples and illustrative hints taken from all departments of inanimate nature; with an introd. by Hugh Macmillan. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1892. 14+552 p. O. cl., \$2.50.

Davis, N. S., M.D. Consumption: how to prevent it, and how to live with it, its nature, its causes, its prevention, and the mode of life, climate, exercise, food, clothing, necessary for its cure. Phil., F. A. Davis Co., 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 8+143 p. cl., net, 75 c.

This work was prepared for the printer before Koch's treatment had been announced. The author hopes much from it, but insists that the prevention of consumption must be accomplished as before; sufferers must obey the same hygienic laws, and these he has specially laid down. Dr. Davis holds many important positions in Chicago medical societies.

***Dawson, Sir J. W.** Modern ideas of evolution as related to revelation and science. 6th ed. rev. and enl. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1892. 252 p. 12", \$1.50.

***Donovan, J. W.** Skill in trials: cont. a variety of civil and criminal cases won by the art of the advocate; with some of the skill of Webster, Choate, Beach, Butler and others given in sketches of their work, [etc.] Rochester, N. Y., Williamson Law Book Co., 1891. c. 173 p. D. shp., \$1.

Eschstruth, Nataly v. (Baroness). The wild rose of Gross-Stauffen; tr. by Elise L. Lathrop. N. Y., Worthington Co., 1892. c. 2+282 p. il. D. (International lib.) half roxb., \$1.25; pap., 75 c.

A nobleman's young daughter acts as temporary goosherd while a little peasant runs to see her sick mother. She is sketched without being conscious of it by a young artist who calls her "Heiden-röslein," upon seeing that she is reading Goethe's pretty poem. Transported from her pretty country home to brilliant society circles, the wild rose remains sweet and pure and helpful. Her love-story is romantic.

Evolution in science, philosophy and art: popular lectures and discussions before the Brooklyn Ethical Association. N. Y., Appleton, 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 8+475 p. por. D. cl., \$2.

Seventeen of the separate pamphlets of the *Evolution series*, published fortnightly, are here put into permanent shape. Contents: Alfred Russel Wallace, by Edward D. Cope; Ernst Haeckel, by Thaddeus B. Wakeman; The scientific method, by Francis Ellingwood Abbot; Herbert Spencer's Synthetic philosophy, by Benjamin F. Underwood; The evolution of chemistry, by Dr. Robert G. Eccles; of electric and magnetic physics, by Arthur E. Kennelly; of botany, by Frederick

J. Walling; of zoölogy, by Rev. John C. Kimball; of optics, by Dr. L. A. W. Alleman; of art, by John A. Taylor; of architecture, by Rev. John W. Chadwick; of sculpture, by Thomas Davidson; of painting, by Forrest P. Rundell; of music, by T. Sidney Sampson; Form and color in nature, by William Potts; Life as a fine art, by Dr. Lewis G. Janes; and The doctrine of evolution: its scope and influence, by John Fiske. Full index.

Fabbri, Cora. Lyrics. N. Y., Harper, 1892. c. 6+162 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

Sixty short poems, carefully printed on thick paper and bound in a festive cover of red and gold, are the work of a young poet who died at San Remo a short time ago. She had the pleasure of seeing one complete copy of her delicate verses. Several of the poems are translations from the German of Heine and the French of Gautier, Victor Hugo and Sully Prud'homme.

Fawcett, Edgar. Women must weep: a novel. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1892.] c. 4+331 p. D. (Library of choice fiction, no. 38.) cl., \$1; pap., 75 c.

The refrain of Kingsley's "Three Fishers" is the text on which the novel is based. The author seems to have a theory, that no matter how favorable the environments of marriage, women who take upon themselves its conditions must weep sooner or later. This is verified in the individual experiences of the three daughters of a New York druggist, whose heart histories take up most of a story in which several phases of New York society are represented. The reader is also given a passing glimpse of the present political outlook. Inherited drunkenness produces its inevitable results.

Fenn, G. Manville. The new mistress: a tale. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1892. 4+299 p. D. (Lippincott ser. of select novels, no. 129.) pap., 50 c.

The appointment of Hazel Thorne as teacher in the Plumpton school aroused the anger of the Misses Lambert. Miss Thorne's growing popularity, however, enabled her to combat their feeling, and Hazel would have been the victor had not circumstantial evidence wrought her undoing. The action of the school-mistress, in a crisis of her affairs is the most interesting part of a novel that pictures life in a little English village.

***Florida.** *Supreme ct.* Cases argued, (etc.,) during the year 1890; rep. by W. B. Lamar. V. 26. Jacksonville, pr. at the Times-Union Book and Job. Off., 1891. no c. 8+658 p. Q shp., \$4.

Flower, W. H. The horse: a study in natural history. N. Y., Appleton, 1892. c. '91. 12+204 p. il. D. (Modern science ser., ed. by Sir J. Lubbock, no. 2.) cl., \$1.

The second volume in the *Modern science series* endeavors to look at the horse as the animal appears in the light of the modern and now generally accepted doctrines of natural history, and in thus doing to teach what some of those doctrines are and to afford insight into the methods of nature applicable to a far wider range of study and of thought than that limited to any single species. It outlines the principal characteristics of the comparative anatomy of the horse and his near relations, the tapir and the rhinoceros, and also identifies a connection between the ancient ancestry of these animals. The author is Director of the British Natural History Museum.

Freytag, Gustav. The lost manuscript: a novel; authorized tr. from the 16th German ed. Chic., The Open Court Pub. Co., 1892. c. tr. '87. 14+544 p. O. cl., \$1.

Issued in 1891 in two volumes at \$4. See P. W., "Weekly Record," June 6, [1910.]

***Gilbert, F. Newell.** Boards of trade, improvement societies, business men's associations and chambers of commerce; forms and laws for their organization and successful management in every state and the dominion of Canada, supp., [etc.] Alb., N. Y., Weed, Parsons & Co., 1891. c. 88 p. D. pap., 50 c.

Gosse, Edmund. Gossip in a library. N. Y., J. W. Lovell Co., [United States Book Co.,] 1891 [1892.] c. 10+337 p. D. il., \$2.50. Some years ago Mr. John Eliot Bowen, then editor of

The Independent, suggested to the author to contribute to his paper a series of short studies on the history and contents of certain famous or curious books, the original editions of all of which should form part of his private library. Mr. Gosse did not find the task as simple as he supposed, and it has taken him five years to accomplish it. He has selected from his books some volumes which seem less known to modern readers than they should be, and has given brief retrospective reviews of them as though they were new discoveries. There are twenty-four books described. Full index.

Hardy, T. A pair of blue eyes. N. Y., International Book Co., [United States Book Co., 1892.] c. 266 p. D. (Fireside ser., no. 143.) pap., 25 c.

Hardy, T. Tess of the D'Urbervilles: a pure woman faithfully presented. N. Y., Harper, 1892. c. '91. 4+421 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50.

Happy, easy-going John Durbeyfield is informed by his pastor, an antiquarian, that he is the descendant of the D'Urbervilles. This information intoxicates his equally easy-going wife, and she decides to send Tess, their beautiful daughter, to hunt up their nearest titled relatives. This journey is the primary cause of all Tess' misfortunes. One-half suspects Mr. Hardy of a desire to argue out the justice of the comparative punishments meted to man and to woman, when they break the commandments of man. Mr. Hardy has taken a large canvas and filled it with sketches of great finish, but his plan seems to lack unity whether his work is viewed from an artistic or ethical standpoint. The life in a dairy district of rural England is made real in skilful word-painting. The High-Church party in England receives a rather malicious hit. The author has material for several stories in this book.

Hatton, Joseph. The Princess Mazaroff: a romance of the dav. N. Y., J. W. Lovell Co., [United States Book Co., 1892.] c. '91. 357 p. D. cl., \$1.

The Princess Mazaroff, suffering great provocation at the hands of her husband the Prince, quarrelled irrevocably with him and sought the protection of Richard Travers. Travers and the Princess lived harmoniously in Paris, until a strange adventure and a visit to England led Dick to see his *liaison* in all its hideous reality. When he attempts to escape from the thralls of the Russian, the result is dramatic in the extreme, involving the life of one woman, the fate of a second, the good name of one man, and the honor of a person. The story ends in a rather every-day way in Yorkshire.

***Head, Frank H.** The practical S. S. record for secretary and treasurer, *improved* [enl. ed.], for 65 classes. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1892. cl., \$1.

Henderson, Alfred. Peter Henderson, gardener, author, merchant; a memoir. N. Y., Press of McIlroy & Emmet, 1890 [1892.] c. 3+48 p. por. D. leatherette, n. p.

Peter Henderson was born in Pathhead, Scotland, June 9, 1822, and died in Jersey City, on January 17, 1890. He was the first writer in this country to make known methods of culture in both the vegetable and floral departments of horticulture that were suited to our climate, and his practical and comprehensive mind was wholly devoted to the interests of his chosen profession. Mr. Henderson came to America in 1843. This memoir is written by his son and confines itself to the details of his father's life that especially bear upon his career as a horticulturist.

***Howe, H. Marion.** The metallurgy of steel, 3d ed., rev. and enl. N. Y., Scientific Pub. Co., 27 Park pl., 1892. c. '91. 392 p. D. cl., \$10.

***Illinois.** *Appellate cts.* Reports of cases, v. 39; cont. cases in which opinions were filed in the 2d division in Dec., 1890; Jan., May, June, July and Aug., 1891; in the 4th district in Feb. and June, 1891; in the 3d district in Feb., 1889, Jan. and June, 1891; rep. by Edwin Burritt Smith. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1892. c. 9-694 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

***Johnson, G. B.** Daily words for daily life. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1892. 80 p. 32°, cl., 30 c.

- Joynes, E. S., ed. *Contes de fées: classic fairy-tales for beginners in French; ed. with notes and vocabulary.* Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 6+147 p. D. (Heath's modern language ser.) pap., 35 c.
- **Kansas. Supreme ct.* Reports of cases; A. M. F. Randolph, rep. V. 46, cont. cases decided at the Jan. and July terms, 1891. Topeka, The Hamilton Pr. Co.; Edwin H. Snow, st. pr., 1891. c. 9+884 p. O. shp., \$3.50.
- Kirk, Mrs. Ellen Olney, ["Henry Hayes," pseud.] Walford. N. Y., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., [1892.] c. '90. 4+432 p. D. (Riverside pap. ser., no. 42.) pap., 50 c.
- Lamar, J. S. *First principles and perfection: or, the birth and growth of a Christian;* Cin., O., The Standard Pub. Co., 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 283 p. por. D. cl., \$1.50.
Originally published in the *Christian Standard*, of Cincinnati. The author is one of the people known as Disciples of Christ, or Christians, and his book gives a correct presentation of their position and doctrine. The first part treats of the principles of a Christian life, the second of the "going on to perfection," the change of death and the useful, satisfying life hereafter in which the "Disciples" have perfect faith.
- La Rame, Louise de, ["Ouida," pseud.] Beebe; or, two little wooden shoes. N. Y., G. Munro, [United States Book Co., 1892.] 95-198 p. D. (Seaside lib., no. 1937.) pap., 25 c.
- Larder, Alfred. *A sinner's sentence: a novel.* N. Y., E. Brandus & Co., 30 Broad st., 1891 [1892.] c. 408 p. D. (Vanity fair ser., no. 7.) pap., 50 c.
The sinner is a Lovelace that "loves and rides away" from many a fair one's door. He is totally devoid of principle, and his career is finally ended by pneumonia caught in saving the noblest of his loves from death by drowning. Autobiographical in form.
- Le Favre, Carrica. *Delsartean physical culture; with principles of the universal formula; arr. for seminaries, classes, private teachers and individuals.* N. Y., Fowler & Wells Co., 1891 [1892.] c. '91. 108 p. il. D. (Science of health lib., no. 7.) pap., 25 c.
Delsarte devoted his life to the discovery of a principle underlying all art and expression. Upon this principle he founded a philosophy for the guidance of those who would make the body, voice and gesture render the highest service to the soul and mind. This little work deals only with the primary department of the physical culture division of this important study. Health is essential to true beauty, and the rules laid down by Delsarte which bear on physical health are here enforced.
- Lockwood, Mrs. Sara E. H. *An English grammar for the higher grades in grammar schools; adapted from "Essentials of English grammar," by W. D. Whitney; with new arrangement and additional exercises suitable for younger pupils.* Bost., Ginn & Co., 1892. c. 5+253 p. D. cl., 80 c.
Designed to furnish a simple and practical text-book for pupils who are not of sufficient maturity to use with advantage the original work. The book is made with topical arrangement, abundant exercises of a more elementary style, and a generally simplified treatment.
- Lowe, Martha Perry. *Bessie Gray. [Also] Our stepmother.* Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1892.] c. 5-32 p. il. sq. D. cl., \$1.25.
Two separate poems gotten up in holiday style with pictures by well-known artists.
- Mair, Alex., D. D. *Studies in the Christian evidences.* 2d ed., rev. and enl. N. Y., American Tract Soc., [1892.] 14+396 p. D. cl., \$2.
"Written especially for that section of our intelligent church members and adherents whose minds have been brought into contact with the religious doubts and difficulties of the age, and have in some measure felt them."
- ... It starts from theism, or the belief in a personal God. Its design is to aid in conducting the earnest reader from the position of theism into the central truths of the Christian religion and a reasonable faith therein."—Preface.
- Marston, Owen. *Lover and husband.* N. Y., G. Munro: [United States Book Co., 1892.] 220 p. D. (Seaside lib., no. 1918.) pap., 25 c.
- Maspéro, G. *Life in ancient Egypt and Assyria; from the French.* N. Y., Appleton, 1892. 14+376 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50.
The famous French Egyptologist has given a vivid picture of actual life as it existed among the two most civilized nations which flourished before the Greeks, which has been skilfully translated by an anonymous writer. The book is fully illustrated by Faucher-Gudin who has reproduced with fine realism the life in the city streets, in the huts of the poor and in palaces, hunting scenes, battles, wedding and funeral ceremonies, etc. The author himself speaks highly of this artist's work.
- **Menzies, Mrs. Stephen.* *How to mark your Bible; prefatory note by D. L. Moody.* 2d ed. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1892. 175 p. 8°, cl., 75 c.; pap., 35 c.
- **Michigan. Supreme ct.* Cases decided from July 28 to Oct. 9, 1891; W: D. Fuller, st. rep. V. 87. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1891. c. 50+714 p. O. shp., \$3.50.
- Mills, Wesley, M. D. *The dog in health and in disease; including his origin, history, varieties, breeding, education and general management in health and his treatment in disease.* N. Y., Appleton, 1892. c. 16+407 p. il. O. cl., \$2.25.
As the dog differs much from the horse and other herbivora which engage the chief attention of the veterinarian, he must be made a special study by the veterinarian who hopes to treat him successfully. The author has aimed to fill the demand for a text-book much needed by veterinary surgeons. At the same time he has made an exhaustive study of all varieties of dogs and their normal conditions which cannot fail to be of value to all owners of dogs. The book has been illustrated with pictures taken from the leading journals devoted to these interests, and is up to date, representing the various breeds of dogs in full-page plates. The author is one of the Faculty of McGill University, Montreal. Full index.
- **Missouri. Supreme ct.* Reports of cases; F. M. Brown, off. rep. V. 105, [1891.] Columbia, E. W. Stephens, 1891. c. 19+744+7 p. O. shp., \$4.
- Moltke, Count Helmuth v. *Letters of Field-Marshal Count Helmuth von Moltke to his mother and his brothers; tr. by Clara Bell and H: W. Fischer.* N. Y., Harper, 1892. 5+317 p. por. il. O. cl., \$3.
The private correspondence with his most intimate relations, covering a period of sixty-five years, affords glimpses of the early life of Germany's great general, of his courageous struggles against adversity and disappointment and of his modest acceptance of the success and fame which finally were awarded him. The letters are full of opinions and criticisms of public men and events. Letter after letter is filled with observations on the incomprehensible Schleswig-Holstein question, which for twenty-seven years agitated Europe. The German radicals of 1848 also are classified and judged. The letters show von Moltke as a man of warm affections.
- Morris, W: *The story of the Glittering Plain, which has been also called the Land of Living Men or the Acre of the Undying; written by W: Morris.* Bost., Roberts Bros., 1892. 2-220 p. D. cl., \$1.50.
See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., Oct. 24, 1891, [1030.] A new and cheaper edition reset in modern type.
- **New York (The) state reporter; cont. all the current decisions of the courts of record of New York state, [etc.]; ed. by W. S. Gibbons.* V. 40, with index and table of cases. Alb., W. C. Little & Co., 1891. c. 9+35+1058 p. O. shp., \$3.50

Norris, W. E. *Mysterious Mrs. Wilkinson.* N. Y., G: Munro, [United States Book Co., 1892.] c. '91. 5-177 p. D. (Seaside lib., no. 1941.) pap., 25 c.

***North Carolina.** The code of civil procedure, with notes and decisions to Dec., 1891, (including some decisions in the 109 N. C. reports,) with the rules of the supreme and superior courts, and the adjudications thereon; by Walter Clark. Raleigh, Edwards & Broughton, 1892. c. '91. 8+817 p. O. shp., \$6.

"When the first edition of this work appeared there were only twenty-six volumes of N. C. reports which contained adjudications upon the code of civil procedure. Since then twenty-one additional volumes of our reports have been issued. This edition has therefore been entirely rewritten. The number of adjudications cited are about double in number those in the first edition. All the changes made by the last four Legislatures in the C. C. P. have also been incorporated in the text. . . . The present work is simply a working-tool to save labor to the profession. It is intended for that purpose, and to be like the C. C. P. itself—a practical work."—*Preface.*

***Northwestern** (The) reporter, v. 49; cont. all the decisions of the supreme courts of Minn., Wis., Iowa, Mich., Neb., No. Dak., So. Dak. *Permanent ed.* July 4–Nov. 7, 1891; with tables of northwestern cases in which rehearings have been denied; with cases of northwestern cases published in v. 84 and 85. Mich. reports; 46, Minn. reports; 29 and 30, Neb. reports; 78, Wis. reports. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1891. c. 17+1248 p. O. (National reporter system, state ser.) shp., \$3.50.

People's reference-book: a reliable compendium of valuable receipts for every-day emergencies. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1892.] c. '91. 208 p. D. (The handbook lib., no. 15.) pap., 25 c.

Powell, Ella M. *Winona: a story of to day.* N. Y., A. Lovell & Co., [1892.] c. '91. 3-223 p. S. pap., 50 c.

The scene is for the most part in the South. The time is from 1864 to that of the Cleveland Administration. It is claimed that many of the incidents are true; this is also claimed for the dialogue which occurs between Aunt Sallie, the Generals McPherson and Sherman and Dr. Shippen. Other noted characters are introduced, among them Senator Grady.

Preacher's (The) magazine: for preachers, teachers and Bible students; ed. by Mark Guy Pearse and Arthur E. Gregory. V. 1. January to December, 1891. N. Y., Wilbur B. Ketcham, [1892.] c. '91. 2+572 p. O. cl., net, \$2.50.

The bound volume of *The Preacher's Magazine*, which is made up of specimens of the best present-day preaching by English and American men of note. This is a monthly, and a very successful publication.

Rand, McNally & Co.'s pocket map of Argentine Republic, Paraguay, Uruguay and Chile. [N. Y. and Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1892.] S. cl., 50 c.

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Rand, McNally & Co.'s [pocket map of] South America. [N. Y. and Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1892.] S. cl., 75 c.

***Savage, Rev. B. J.** *The Lord's one baptism.* Phil., American Baptist Pub. Soc., 1892. 144 p. 18°, cl., 50 c.

Scotch-Irish Society of America. *The Scotch-Irish in America: proceedings and addresses of the third Congress at Louisville, Ky., May 14 to 17, 1891.* Nashville, Tenn., Pub. House of M. E. Church, South, (Barbee & Smith, Agts.,) [1892.] c. '91. 328 p. O. cl., \$1.50; pap., \$1.

***Sharp & Alleman's** lawyers and bankers' directory for 1892, Jan. ed., cont. the names of over 7000 capable and trustworthy attorneys, [etc.,] in the U. S. and Canadas, [etc.] Phil., Sharp & Alleman, [1892.] c. 1230 p. O. shp., \$5.

Smart, Hawley. *Courtship in seventeen hundred and twenty and in eighteen hundred and sixty: romances of two centuries.* N. Y., G: Munro, [United States Book Co., 1892.] 6-251 p. D. (Seaside lib., no. 1939.) pap., 25 c.

Stewart, D. D., M.D., and Lawrance, E. S., M.D. *Essentials of medical electricity.* Phil., W. B. Saunders, 913 Walnut st., 1892. 14-158 p. D. (Saunders' question compends, no. 23.) cl., \$1.

The most distinctive points elucidated at great length in the exhaustive works of Erb, De Watterville, V. Ziemssen, Beard, Rockwell and others have been partially digested and an effort made to place them before the undergraduates in such a manner that they may form a general idea of the diagnostic and therapeutic value of electricity. Many students grasp certain points of this subject with peculiar difficulty, and the authors' experience as teachers enables them to judge which points to reiterate in different connections.

***Story, Joseph.** *Commentaries on equity pleadings, and the incidents thereof, according to the practice of the courts of equity of England and America.* 10th ed., rev., cor. and enl. by J. M. Gould. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1892. c. 8°, shp., \$6.

***Southern** (The) reporter, v. 9; cont. all the decisions of the supreme courts of Ala., La., Fla., Miss. *Permanent ed.* Ap. 29–Oct. 21, 1891, with tables of southern cases published in v. 90 and 91, Ala. reports; 26, Fla. reports; 42, La. annual reports; 68, Miss. reports. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1891. c. 12+1020 p. O. (National reporter system, state ser.) shp., \$4.

Thackeray, W: *Makepeace.* The English humorists of the eighteenth century. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [United States Book Co., 1892.] 369-550 p. D. (Lovell's literature ser., no. 209.) pap., 25 c.

Thomas à Kempis. *Meditations on the life of Christ:* tr. and ed. by Archd. Wright and Rev. S. Kettlewell, with preface by the latter. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1892. c. 51+378 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The Ven. Archdeacon Wright, of England, and the Rev. S. Kettlewell, who is the leading authority in Europe on all matters relating to *Thomas à Kempis* and "The Brothers of Common Life," have for the past two years been at work translating and editing this very remarkable treatise, which is quite unknown to the world at large. Its story is ably given in the preface. The Archbishop of Canterbury has read each part of the work as it has come from the printer, and the work is dedicated to him. The preface, by the Rev. S. Kettlewell, endeavors to account for the singular scarcity of this work and gives many interesting reasons for its probable suppression by the Roman Church. He thinks the "De Vita" was suppressed because it seemed to favor the views of the reforming party who were so eager for the revival of true and earnest religion, and also because it was first printed with a treatise

by Gerard de Tutphen, who publicly contended that an open Bible should be allowed and the prayers of the church said in the vulgar tongue. It is believed that *a Kempis* earnestly desired to have this work counted a proper sequel and companion to his "Imitation."

***Thurston, Rob. H.** Manual of the steam engine. Pt. 2, Design, construction and operation. N. Y., J: Wiley & Sons, 1892. 23+934 p. 8°, cl., \$7.50. [Pts. 1 and 2 together, \$12.]

Transplanted shame: a quartette symposium on such of the evils and abuses of modern conventionality and custom as most menace the better interests of human progress, by four of New York's most prominent citizens—a minister of the Gospel, a doctor of medicine, an attorney at law, and a noted society leader. N. Y., Lew Vanderpoole & Co., 1892. c. 4+115 p. D. (Vanderpoole's bi-monthly ser., no. 1.) pap., 25 c.

The shame is the conventionality of the Old World, which has been transplanted to America and threatens to kill the virility and independence which in her youth made her such a menace to hypocrisy and cant.

Tyndall, J: New fragments. N. Y., Appleton, 1892. 3+500 p. O. cl., \$2.

Contents: The sabbath, a presidential address before the Glasgow Sunday Society, 1880; Goethe's "Farbenlehre," a Friday evening discourse in the Royal Institution, 1880; Atoms, molecules and other waves, written for the first number of *Longmans' Magazine*, 1882; Count Rumford, delivered in Royal Institution, 1883; Louis Pasteur, his life and labors, written as introduction to the English translation, 1884; The rainbow and its conquerors, delivered at Royal Institution, 1884; Address delivered at the Birkbeck Institution, 1884; Thomas Young, last address delivered at the Royal Institution, January 22, 1886; Life in the Alps, 1887; About common water, 1889, written for *The Youth's Companion*; Personal recollections of Thomas Carlyle, published in the *Fortnightly Review*, 1890; On unveiling the statue of Thomas Carlyle, 1882; On the origin, propagation and prevention of phthisis, 1891; Old Alpine jottings; and A morning on Alp Lugen.

Venable, W. H. John Hancock: a memoir with selections from his writings. Cin., O., C. B. Ruggles & Co., (The New American Teachers' Agcy.,) 237 Vine st., 1892. c. 195 p. pors. D. cl., \$1.25; subs., \$1.

John Hancock was born in the little hamlet of Laurel in Ohio, on February 18, 1825. After his mother's death he was adopted by Mrs. Mary Moore, a woman of wide-reaching intelligence, positive political and social principles, extraordinary energy, warm enthusiasm and genial humor, all brought actively to bear upon the habits, studies and motives of her adopted son. He began life as a lawyer, but soon devoted his life to teaching. His work in the public schools of Ohio has been far-reaching and always progressive and earnest. He died in June, 1891.

***Vermont. Supreme ct.** Reports of cases. 2d ed., unabridged, with notes and references by the editorial corps of the national reporter system. Book 17, cont. a verbatim reprint of v. 57-58 of the Vt. reports; Palmer's reports, v. 5-6. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1891. c. 11+245+16+232 p. O. shp., \$12.

Wagnalls, Mabel. Miserere, (a musical story.) N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1892. c. 2-63 p. il. D. cl., \$1.

Giovanni Canova has a past which he strives to forget in constant change of scene; but he is ever the prey of remembrance and remorse. Finally the wonderful voice of a young singer brings oblivion. Then the pair are betrothed, and there follows a recital of the life histories of both. Here retribution overtakes Canova, and he is a second time the hero in a tragedy. The story occurs in Verona, Paris and Vienna. The heroine is introduced as a nun rendering Verdi's "Miserere." The characters are subtly drawn, and their action conveys a moral.

Waite, G. W., and White, G. H. A straight road to Cæsar for beginners in Latin. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1892. c. '91. 14+184+39 p. sq. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

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Washington, G: Journal of my journey over the mountains; while surveying for Lord Thomas Fairfax, Baron of Cameron, in the northern neck of Virginia, beyond the Blue Ridge in 1747-8, copied from the original with literal exactness, and ed., with notes, by J. M. Toner, M.D. Albany, N. Y., Joel Munsell's Sons, 1892. c. 3-144 p. maps, O. bds., \$2.

It is the purpose of the editor to prepare a complete collection of all the writings of George Washington with that literal exactness as to text which can only be assured by the careful efforts of an experienced copyist and expert proof-reader having access to, and comparing in every possible case the copies with the originals. This initial "Diary" opens with his sixteenth year. Forthcoming volumes will give, in chronological order, Washington's co-operation in the march of events on this continent, and his life and opinions as seen through the writings he has left. The book is neatly printed on thick paper, and contains many maps and charts in fac-simile of "Washington's Journals."

***Weekly** notes of cases argued and determined in the supreme ct. of Penna., the county courts of Phila., and the U. S. dist. and circuit courts for the eastern dist. of Penna.; by members of the bar. V. 28, Ap. to Nov., 1891. Phil., Kay & Bro., 1891. c. 15+608 p. O. shp., \$5.

Werner, Ernst, [pseud. for Eliz. Bürstenbinder.] She fell in love with her husband: a special tr. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1892.] c. 3-336 p. D. (Primrose ser., no. 31.) pap., 25 c.

A translation of this novel was published under the title of "Good luck," by James R. Osgood & Co., and noticed in the THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, under the heading Books Received, on May 16, 1874, [122.]

Whittaker, T. P., ed. Barker's facts and figures for 1892; with census and election supplements. N. Y., F: Warne & Co., [1892.] 3-384 p. D. flex. cl., 50 c.

Containing: A large amount of information relating to commerce, government, insurance, agriculture, population, education, finance, health, religion, railways, wealth, and the general moral, social, physical and economic condition of nations and peoples; with especial reference to those matters which most interest and concern the inhabitants of the United Kingdom.

***Williams, M. B.** Among many witnesses: a book for Bible students. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1892. 231 p. por. 12°, cl., \$1.

Williams, Mrs. Rhoby S. Another man's bride: a novel. N. Y., J. S. Ogilvie, 1892. 4-330 p. D. (Peerless ser., no. 52.) pap., 25 c.

A romantic story of beautiful impressionable girls, against whose aims, wishes and aspirations most untoward circumstances invariably conspire. Written with unpractised hand.

***Wisconsin. Supreme ct.** Reports of cases with tables of the cases and principal matters; prepared and ed. by Ja. Simmons; F: K. Conover, off. rep. V. 79, Feb. 3-June 3, 1891. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1891. c. 24+730 p. O. shp., \$2.75.

Yonge, Charlotte M., ["Aunt Charlotte." pseud.] That stick. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1892. c. '91. 5+299 p. D. cl., \$1.

Frank Morton had waited for twenty years to marry the poor young teacher at Mrs. Lang's, having been forced to provide for his brother's wife and children. Suddenly he inherits property and becomes Lord Northmoore. His quiet, methodical ways had gained him the name of "that stick." The story tells of his good work for all his relations and his happy life with his elderly bride, visiting all the places described in the "Waverley" novels.

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THE Edinburgh Bibliographical Society, founded in 1890, has issued the first number of its "Proceedings," containing a selection of printed papers: (1) "Notes on the Life and Works of John Watson, Printer, with a Hand-list of Books and Pamphlets printed by him, 1697–1722," by Mr. J. S. Gibb; (2) "Bibliography of the Book of Common Order of the Church of Scotland," by Mr. W. Cowan; (3) "Bibliography of the Lives of Two Scottish Capuchins, John Forbes (1570–1606) and George Leslie (Father Archangel), c. 1590–1637," by Mr. T. G. Law; (4) "Is the 'Arithmetica' of Jordanus Nemorarius (Paris, 1496) the First Book with the Printing of which a Scotsman was Connected?" by Mr. John Scott, C.B.

THE January issue of the Bulletin of the Boston Public Library is of unusual interest and value. The trustees have recently decided to make accessible to the public (as well as to preserve them in permanent form) some of the rare and hitherto unpublished manuscripts in which the library is so rich, and this issue contains the first instalment of a reprint of them. The two hitherto unpublished papers which appear in the January Bulletin both relate to the Revolution. One consists of the notes of Lieutenant-Colonel Eld, of the Coldstream Guard; on doings in and about New York during 1779 and 1780. The second portion consists of ten letters of Earl Percy to the Rev. Dr. Percy, of Northumberland House, during his services, especially in Boston, from 1774 to 1778. The first instalment of a third and enlarged edition of this library's important "Chronological Index to Historical Fiction," including prose fiction, plays and poems, is given in the same Bulletin. The list embraces titles of works not owned by the library, and these it wishes to procure.

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BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

THE trade generally will be pleased to note that its Southern members are determined to continue in their efforts to reform existing abuses, and to aid in making the movement a national rather than a local one. We have word that the Virginia Booksellers' Association has already accomplished enough to give assurance that intelligent united action on the part of the retailers in the United States would bring about further and more substantial results. Especially encouraging is the report that the publishers generally seem willing to co-operate with the retailers. The present certainly seems a fitting season for the retailers to put into operation the suggestions made in this issue by Mr. Starke, the energetic Secretary of the Virginia Association. Let the retailers organize at once and gather in larger centres in the various States to compare notes and to condense into intelligible form their grievances and their proposals for removing them. From these local bodies delegates might be appointed to combine as a national organization, which could deal directly with the publishers. The movement is bound to come. Publisher and retailer have been working apart and at cross-purposes long enough. International copyright is paving the way for more substantial business methods and a little plain, sensible talk and the presentation of facts would bring about other long-needed reforms. The interests of publisher and retailer are identical. If, ther-

fore, the former can be shown wherein he is jeopardizing his interest, he would be blind indeed were he to fail to co-operate with the latter in bringing about reforms that would insure security to both.

But it must be understood that good faith is incumbent upon the retailer as well as upon the publisher. He must be willing to undertake responsibilities as well as to reap benefits, otherwise it were better not to identify himself with the movement. Heretofore reform has been hindered by those who were loud in their protestations in conventions for reform, but who in their actions have belied their words. These will turn up in every organization, and allowances should be made for them at once, so that the others who are honest in their endeavors shall not be routed, and, by withdrawing, endanger their only hope for protection.

There is room enough yet, it seems to us, in this country for all intelligent men who may wish to enter the profession of bookselling; and there must also be enough of a living left to go around if the book trade will have it so. We cannot tell what centralized capital may be able to accomplish in time in this field, as it has done in others, but for years to come, at least, it seems safe to prophesy that there will be a living for every bookseller where there is a constituency to warrant his existence, provided he is intelligent; indeed, he will survive only so long as he remains intelligent.

A by no means inconsiderable portion of his knowledge may be acquired in his intercourse with other booksellers, and especially by rubbing against those from other parts who may know more than he, or have different ways of doing the same things. In such intercourse he will give and take—possibly he may come off the gainer. This was one of the advantages of the guild system. The journeyman who had travelled always had the advantage of the stay-at-home. He had not only seen the world, but he had acquired the "knack" of doing things from a dozen or more masters, while the stay-at-home worked in the one rut that he had made for himself from his apprenticeship up.

The German bookseller has adhered to a part of this old custom in a modified form, in taking part in the annual fair at Leipzig. There the booksellers and publishers from every part of Germany meet one another once a year face to face to exchange ideas and to talk shop generally. Grievances are aired and the *pros* and *cons* gone over to mutual advantage, and all part with a clearer understanding of the others, which is really the secret of the perfect organization of that body. The publisher becomes personally acquainted with the conditions under which the bookseller works, and the bookseller

on his part is often made to realize the unreasonableness of his expectations—as we have said to mutual advantage.

Now it would be undesirable and impracticable to imitate the German book fair system, but it seems entirely practical to have an annual gathering of the whole book trade. These gatherings might be convened in a different city each year, after the manner of the American Library Association. The difficulty in the book trade has been that there existed too little personal acquaintance among its members—and it is about time that a change should take place. We therefore echo most earnestly Mr. Starke's sentiments—by all means organize!

AN APPEAL FOR ORGANIZATION.

To the Retail Book Trade of the United States:

As Secretary and Treasurer of the Virginia Booksellers' Association I should like to hear from similar organizations throughout the United States as to what they are doing and have accomplished.

We organized a little over one year ago and find that reforms CAN be brought about by the united efforts of the dealers of the State. We want to see at an early date similar associations in every State, thoroughly organized, working together for mutual benefit. These we hope to see combined as a national association that may be instrumental in regulating many trade abuses. To accomplish this end I make the following suggestions:

1. Let every bookseller subscribe for and read regularly THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY. It is the bookseller's best friend and should be used.

2. Start now to see if you cannot organize an association in your own town or city; then enlarge and take in your State. This can be done with very little trouble. Don't rush; go carefully and thoroughly into details; organize with a purpose in view; make friends, not enemies, for the association of every one with whom it has to do business, and though results may be slow in showing themselves, you will find before the first year is out that they will show, and on the right side.

3. Correspond through THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY that others may know what you are doing, trying to do and want done; by these means THE WEEKLY will soon become, with your help, what it tries now to be—*independent* of such assistance—an actual trade organ through which booksellers and publishers all over the country will be touching elbows, receiving and giving strength.

One of the best features that has grown out of our association is the kindly feeling and respect that has sprung up between the dealers all over the State.

Wake up! Don't sit around waiting for abuses in your business to correct themselves, for you will be dead, and many generations after you, before it will be done that way; but *start in* and *help* correct them yourself.

Let every bookseller who reads this take it as a personal appeal, and do his part *at once*. We, as an association, are willing to do ours.

Yours, etc., H. M. STARKE.

RICHMOND, VA., Jan. 30, 1892.

THE HON. OWEN SCOTT, of Illinois, has submitted to the House of Representative bills relating to the postage on newspapers which, it is to be hoped, will have favorable consideration this session. The proposed measures have the approval, we understand, of the National Editorial Association, and of the Post-Office Department itself, so that very little opposition is to be expected.

Some of the bills are aimed at abuses felt by the Post-Office Department, and others at abuses felt by the newspaper publishers. Of the former is a bill limiting the number of "sample copies" of any paper that may be sent free of postage to one-half the number of paid subscriptions. This is intended to cut off mere advertising sheets with a nominal subscription list, of which thousands are sent out each month without postage. A second is intended to relieve the mails of so-called newspapers which are in fact only serial instalments of stories. Still another seeks to give a uniform rate of 1 cent per pound to all newspapers, other than daily, to any point in the United States. At present that is the charge for points other than the city in which the paper is published, where a rate of 1 cent per copy is required. The whole system of newspaper postage and postal distribution needs careful investigation and revision, and we hope that Mr. Scott's bills may afford the occasion to reform the system.

It is an object lesson to those who have predicted high prices for books as a result of the International Copyright Law that Daudet's new novel, "Rose and Ninette," will be published in this country for fifty cents. This, notwithstanding the fact that the Cassell Publishing Company paid a large price to the author for the copyright.

AMERICA'S PAPER-MAKING CAPACITY.

THE United States it is claimed has a capacity for producing about 15,250,000 pounds of paper annually, not counting the idle mills, of which at present about seventy are reported, out of a total of 1180. Of this enormous product some 3,735,000 pounds are used in printing newspapers and books, and 212,800 pounds more go to help bind the books printed. It is estimated that 498,000 pounds are consumed by the building trades; 3,176,000 pounds of wrapping-paper are used, and 590,000 pounds of writing-papers. An important item is the production of nearly 1,600,000 pounds of press, straw and wood-pulp "boards." The production of "artificial leather," fortunately for the purchasers of shoes, has been decreasing since 1884, when 129,000 pounds of this material were produced. The most rigid economy is practised in paper-making; hence the high degree of mechanical skill and executive ability connected with this industry as compared with the cost of the product.

CANADIAN COPYRIGHT.

HOW AMERICANS MAY PROCURE COPYRIGHT IN CANADA.

A WASHINGTON correspondent of the N. Y. *Evening Post* writes under date of January 21: One of the annoyances of which American authors have had just cause to complain since the enactment of the International Copyright Law has been the refusal of the Canadian authorities to register their copyrights. The President's proclamation of a copyright arrangement with Great Britain and her possessions was hailed by the Americans interested in the subject as an assurance that their works could be entered in Canada without any question. It was greatly to their surprise, therefore, that their applications were refused. Many protests and inquiries have poured in upon Patent-Commissioner Simonds, who, as a member of the Fifty-first Congress, constructed the present act and carried it through to success. He accordingly sent some time ago to the Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa, the officer within whose jurisdiction the Canadian copyright system falls, several interrogatories covering points raised by disappointed American authors, and the answer, which has just gone on file at the Patent Office, runs as follows:

"You ask: 'What Canadian laws need to be approved by any person, tribunal or association in England in order to complete their validity?'

"Canadian laws do not require to be approved in England to complete their validity. It has happened, however, when Canadian legislation in relation to copyright matters has traversed or set aside English laws which are supposed to run throughout the empire, that such Canadian laws have been reserved for the royal sanction. The copy of the Canadian Copyright Act which I send you herewith was so reserved and sanctioned.

"A Canadian law amending the act to which I have above referred was passed in 1889, and sanctioned in the regular course by his Excellency the Governor-General. This law, however, a copy of which I also send to you herewith, contains a provision that it shall not come into effect without the publication of a proclamation in the *Canada Gazette*. Such proclamation has not yet been issued, and therefore the law, although in the statute-book, is not yet in effect. There are some questions in relation to it between the Canadian and the Imperial Governments.

"You further ask: 'Who is the person in Canada who registers copyright upon a proper application?'

"In reply I have to say that all such applications should be sent to this department, when they will be referred to one of its officers—the Registrar of Copyrights.

"You also ask: 'In case he refuses to register something presented to him for copyright, and the applicant believes that he wrongly refuses to register, what Canadian court or courts, if any, can legally be applied to for writ of mandamus, or other proper writ, so that the legal question in dispute may be settled?'

"I send you herewith the Canadian acts relating to such matters."

An examination of the documents forwarded to Commissioner Simonds shows that the original act now in force was "approved by the Governor-General in Council on April 12, 1887." It consists of thirty-four sections. The fourth provides that "any person domiciled in Canada

or in any part of the British possessions, or any citizen of any country which has an international copyright treaty with the United Kingdom, who is the author of any book, map," etc., "and the legal representatives of such person or citizen shall have the sole and exclusive right and liberty of printing, reprinting, publishing, reproducing and vending such literary, scientific or artistic works or compositions, in whole or in part, and of allowing translations to be printed or reprinted and sold . . . for the term of twenty-eight years. . . ."

Section 5 provides that "the condition for obtaining such copyright shall be that the said literary, scientific or artistic works shall be printed and published, or reprinted and republished, in Canada, . . . contemporaneously with or subsequently to publication or production elsewhere."

Section 6 provides that "every work of which the copyright has been granted and is subsisting in the United Kingdom, and copyright of which is not secured or subsisting in Canada, under any act of the Parliament of Canada or of the Legislature of the late Province of Canada, or of the Legislature of any of the provinces forming part of Canada, shall, when printed and published, or reproduced and republished in Canada, be entitled to copyright under this act; but nothing in this act shall be held to prohibit the importation from the United Kingdom of copies of any such work lawfully printed there. If any such copyright work is reprinted subsequently to its publication in the United Kingdom, any person who has, previous to the date of entry of such work upon the registers of copyright, imported any foreign reprints may dispose of such reprints by sale or otherwise; but the burden of proof of establishing the extent and regularity of the transaction shall, in such case, be upon such person."

It will be observed that in the case of persons like Americans—neither domiciled in Canada nor citizens of a country having an international copyright treaty with the United Kingdom—the only way to go about the securing of copyright in Canada is to copyright their works first in the United Kingdom, and then, with the evidence of that copyright, to apply to the Department of Agriculture of the Dominion for registry there.

The act of 1889, however, referred to in the Minister's letter, provides for the amendment of this procedure in a few particulars, chief among them being a limitation of the period within which works first brought out elsewhere shall be reproduced in Canada, as per section 5, to a single month. The amendatory act also repeals entirely section 6—the section permitting persons who have taken out a copyright in the United Kingdom to take out one in Canada by virtue thereof. It is probably this section concerning which a discussion has sprung up between the Imperial and the Dominion Governments, as it practically abrogates the power of the government to enter into any international arrangements embracing the British possessions by reciprocal legislation, or by any other process than the negotiation of a formal treaty.

As long as that discussion continues the act of 1889 will be suspended from operation, and American authors apparently can avail themselves of the Canadian copyright by the process which has already been suggested. As to the court to which application should be made for a writ to compel registration if refused, it will be

seen that the Minister of Agriculture has no advice to give in terms. One of the printed acts accompanying his letter, however, bearing date the 24th of April, 1890, says: "The Exchequer Court of Canada shall be a competent court within the meaning of this act, and shall have jurisdiction to adjudicate upon any question arising under this section, upon information in the name of the Attorney General of Canada, and at the relation of any party interested." It is impossible to tell whether this has been approved by the Imperial Government or has not needed such sanction. Presumptively, as it in no way seems to encroach upon the royal prerogative, or to conflict with the legislation of the British Parliament it stands on its own feet. That view is strengthened by the fact that this amendment has been amended in its turn—another brief act, dated the 28th of August, 1891, substituting "or at the suit of any person interested" for "and at the relation of any party interested."

ANTHONY COMSTOCK REBUKED.

THE case of the United States *vs.* C. N. Caspar, of Milwaukee, charged with using the mails for the transmission of obscene literature, came up at the morning session of the United States Court on the 1st inst. The defendant, through his attorney, E. P. Vilas, immediately after the stating of the case pleaded guilty to an offence against the postal regulations, and asked for clemency.

In his address to the court Mr. Vilas rehearsed the case from its inception. Mr. Comstock had opened correspondence with the defendant from Chimney Point, a small town in Vermont, and after a long time succeeded in gaining the confidence of Mr. Caspar, who was then to procure several pictures of nude subjects and rare editions of books that had come under the ban of Mr. Comstock. These were sent by express. This, however, did not suit Comstock, as, of course, the United States laws had nothing to do with an offence of that nature. Accordingly he wrote to Caspar for more pictures, and said that the nearest express office was at Port Henry, N. Y., on the opposite shore of Lake Champlain. It put him to great trouble and considerable expense to obtain packages from there, and he asked Caspar to send the matter by mail. Caspar fell into the trap, and Comstock caused his arrest.

Mr. Vilas spoke of Mr. Caspar's reputation as a merchant and citizen, and then explained how he had built up his business until it had a world-wide reputation. It was a matter of great regret to Mr. Caspar that he should have done aught that made himself amenable to the law, and that it was done unintentionally. He kept such stock as he had under lock and key, not even his clerks being aware of its existence, and it was only after Mr. Comstock had gained his utmost confidence that he was able to procure copies of such. He had been led into the business in the belief that he was doing nothing serious as long as the matter was not intended for immoral purposes or general circulation.

He promised on behalf of Mr. Caspar to destroy all questionable pictures and literature in the possession of the latter, and that he, Mr. Caspar, would entirely withdraw from any future connections of the kind. He asked that if punishment be inflicted it be by fine and not imprisonment, and closed by saying that Mr. Caspar had not heretofore used the mails for such a purpose and

reiterated the statement that he would not have done so this time had not Mr. Comstock lured him on.

District Attorney Colman defended Mr. Comstock's action by saying that it was his duty to use test letters to see if catalogues or such matter as sent was legitimate. Mr. Vilas replied by saying that the catalogues which Mr. Caspar had sent were not printed matter, being written, and would not have been written unless Mr. Comstock asked for them.

Judge Jenkins asked Mr. Caspar what he had to say that sentence should not be passed upon him. His reply was substantially that given by Mr. Vilas in his address, that he was sorry and would not have done it had he not been led on, and that it would not happen again. The judge then commented upon the statute relating to the case and defining the duties of the court in the case, and then commented on Mr. Comstock's action in the matter. "The court," he said, "cannot approve the conduct of the government officer who has lured the defendant into the commission of a crime. I am aware that such methods are often pursued in dealing with alleged criminals, but I am not willing to lend my assent to such doctrine. If government officers cannot detect criminals and enforce laws without resorting to dishonest practices, they had better resign their positions. Mr. Comstock is known as a very zealous agent in preventing the spread of obscene literature, but in this case, instead of appealing to State law, which is ample for the emergency, he has seen fit to assume the name of another and lure the defendant into crime. There are some things in this world that are much worse than sending obscene matter through the mail. One of them is the practice of fraud and lying of which Mr. Comstock has apparently been guilty. He may be able to reconcile such conduct to the laws of God and morality, but this court is not."

Judge Jenkins did not think that the ends of justice could be gained by imprisonment more than by fine, and thought that the latter would be sufficient. He closed by inflicting a fine of \$500, which was at once paid.

In reply to District Attorney Colman the court said that the stock seized could not be confiscated, but was interrupted by Mr. Vilas, who declared that the statement made that such would be destroyed was sincere and that they were willing and anxious to carry it out.

OBITUARY NOTES.

CHARLES HADDON SPURGEON, the world-renowned Baptist preacher, died at Mentone on January 31. Mr. Spurgeon was born in Essex County, England, on June 19, 1834. He early betrayed uncommon force and individuality. Since 1861 The Tabernacle of London, built specially for him, has been the seat of his labors. There he preached every week to congregations numbering 4500, and all his sermons have been printed weekly and circulated in editions of 25,000. Besides these sermons he has published many volumes of essays. "The Treasury of David," in six volumes, a collection of extracts illustrating the Psalms, culled from the whole range of literature, is his most important work, and the most popular is his racy "John Ploughman's Talk." Not since the days of Wesley have the common doctrines of Evangelical Christianity found so powerful an exponent. Mr. Spurgeon was a public force in England, and has worked steadily for humanitarianism and pure morals.

COMMUNICATIONS.

KEESE'S POETS OF AMERICA.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Jan. 26.

To the Editor of *The Publishers' Weekly*.

DEAR SIR: In your issue of January 23 Mr. John Keese writes that his father's book, "The Poets of America," published in 1841, "introduced to the world . . . 'A Visit from St. Nicholas,' by Dr. Moore. . . Little did he [Dr. Moore] anticipate the fame this simple poem would bring him."

Most readers will understand from this that "The Visit" was first published in Mr. Keese's work. When it was first published I do not know, but it was reprinted in "The New York Book," published by Dearborn in 1836*—five years before Mr. Keese issued his collection. The same is probably true of the other poems mentioned. As Drake, for instance, died in 1820, it is not likely that his most celebrated poems waited till 1841 to be "introduced," especially as his collected poems were published in 1836. W. M. G.

MR. S. S. RIDER, of Providence, R. I., in his *Book Notes* says: "Mr. A. D. F. Randolph in *THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY* recently gave some mention of the collection of American poetry, edited by Mr. John Keese, in 1841 and 1842. An error in the title, which Mr. Randolph fell into, has been pointed out in another communication to the *WEEKLY* by Mr. Keese, not the original John, but some descendant probably; but this corrector falls into a much more malignant error than did Mr. Randolph, whom he undertook to correct. Mr. Keese says: 'It may be of interest to a later generation of readers to know that the first volume (1841) introduced to the world Drake's "Culprit Fay" and the "American Flag," etc. A fine octavo collection of Mr. Drake's poems, in which were both the poems here specified as having been 'introduced to the world' by Mr. Keese in 1841, was published in New York in 1836, and with them the beautifully engraved (in line) portrait of Mr. Drake. The statement regarding Marco Bozzaris is still more incorrect; the poem appeared in a collection of Halleck's poems printed in New York as early as 1827. I am not quite sure concerning the date of Mr. Keese's first volume, it may have been issued in 1840."

BRENTANO'S TO THE TRADE.

We beg to thank the trade for its demonstrations of sympathy on account of the fire on Union Square, which necessitated our removal to our present quarters, and especially for its prompt and active co-operation in the filling of orders, which enabled us to continue business at our new establishment without a single day's interruption or delay.

We fully appreciate the friendship shown to us on this occasion, and hope that this general acknowledgment of our indebtedness will be accepted by all concerned until the time when we can give individual expression to our thanks.

Very respectfully, BRENTANO'S.

A SWINDLING BOOKBUYER—CAUTION TO THE TRADE.

THE trade is cautioned against the operations of a swindler, calling himself Walter S. Jenkins, of New York, who on the 31st of January bought a number of choice books from me, paying for

them by check on a New York bank, in which he had no account. Among the books were Doran's "Annals of Stage," extra illus., 3 vols., polished calf; Byron's Works, extra illus., 6 vols., 8vo, polished calf; Bourrienne's "Napoleon," extra illus., 3 vols., polished calf; Sir Joshua Reynolds' Works, extra illus., 4 vols., 8vo, half mor. etc., etc. If offered for sale, detain the books and advise

C. J. PRICE,
1004 Walnut St., Philadelphia.

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

A. W. HUTTON, the librarian of the London National Liberal Club, will be the first in the field with a life of Cardinal Manning. He has been busy for some time on a monograph for Methuen & Co.'s series of *Leaders of Religion*.

THE author of "The Recreations of a Country Parson," who is also known to many as A. K. H. B., has written his reminiscences of St. Andrews during the past twenty-five years. The first volume, covering the period from 1865 to 1878, will be published by Messrs. Longmans immediately; and the second is in preparation.

MISS WORMELEY is working on a life of Balzac. It will contain two portraits of Balzac, and will be uniform with the works and portrait after Giraud, taken just after the author's death, and considered by Madame de Balzac the best likeness of her husband. It is powerful and impressive, and gives to the dead novelist a singularly youthful look.

LIONEL JOHNSON is engaged on a volume of essays on Mr. Thomas Hardy, similar in intention to Mr. Le Gallienne's "George Meredith." It will contain an exhaustive bibliography by Mr. John Lane, who will be obliged by any references to uncollected stories and papers of Mr. Hardy that may be sent to him at the office of the publisher, Mr. Elkin Mathews, Vigo Street.

ROSSITER JOHNSON is reading the proofs of his new story, which is going slowly through the press of Charles Scribner's Sons; but an unavoidable delay in the preparation of the illustrations has postponed the publication until next season. Mr. Johnson is to a certain extent his own illustrator, but the more elaborate pictures are being prepared by William Taber, who so successfully illustrated "Phaeton Rogers."

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON writes to the London *Literary World*: "I shall be ever obliged to you if you will contradict a report which can only have been circulated in wantonness, though I now hear of it from all quarters. I have no more intention of leaving Samoa than of going to the North Pole. The climate and the life exactly suit me. If gentlemen of the press had half the employment that falls to me in what they call my life of idleness, they would lack the time to invent and circulate baseless rumors as to the health, the opinions and the movements of a private person."

"WHY do you bother me so much to bring out your book?" asked the publisher irritably. "Because," pleaded the importunate scribbler, "I am in rags; I can raise no money and am perishing for want of food." "Well, well," said the publisher, pityingly, "what is your manuscript?" "It is entitled: 'How to Get Rich.'"—*Epoch*.

* We suppose our correspondent refers to "The New York Book of Poetry," published by George Dearborn, New York, 1837.—Ed. P. W.]

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

It is now authoritatively announced that Mr. Charles Dudley Warner will, after the March number, conduct the "Editor's Study" in *Harper's*, and that Mr. Thomas Nelson Page will succeed him in conducting the "Editor's Drawer."

BOSTON is to have a new periodical—a weekly—each number of which will contain only the *Two Tales* of its title. The best work of the the best writers is promised; and the two stories a week will include no reprints and no translations. This, at least, is the proclamation.

THE first issue of a new fortnightly called *Baby* is at hand. It is to be devoted solely to the interests of mothers. In addition to the regular departments there will be special articles on home nursing, sleeplessness of babies, etc., by prominent physicians. A feature of *Baby* will be a careful review of books published relating to children. All mothers are invited to contribute any of the plans they have discovered or invented to make baby happy and healthy. The paper is published at 907 Broadway, at the Baby Publishing Company.

ONE of the next features of *The Century Magazine* will be a fit successor to the famous *War Series*, the life of Lincoln, and other important historical works which have first seen the light in the pages of that magazine. This is a new, thorough, scholarly and yet popular life of Napoleon I. by a distinguished American student and professor of history. Such a work is important and timely because of the abundant new materials furnished by the opening of the different national archives and by the publication of valuable memoirs. Lanfrey's Napoleon is incomplete and written with a polemic purpose. Thus far no biography of the extraordinary man has appeared in either English or French which is free from rancor and attentive to the laws of historical criticism. No one could have so fine a perspective or be more dispassionate in his judgments than a competent American writer. The life will be illustrated in *The Century's* most complete and artistic manner.

HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & Co. will publish in March the first number of a new quarterly review devoted to religion, ethics and theology. It will be under the charge of an editorial committee consisting of Professors Charles Carroll Everett and Crawford Howell Toy, of Harvard; Rev. Orello Cone, D.D., President of Buchtel College, and Rev. Nicholas Paine Gilman (managing editor). The new periodical will have 200 pages in each issue, one-quarter part of which will be given to the careful review of important books in its field. As the names of the committee indicate, the new *Review* will "endeavor to discuss religion, ethics and theology from the standpoint of liberal thought; uncommitted to any denomination, it will enlist the support of scientific scholars and progressive thinkers, at home and abroad, in the thorough treatment of the great problems of modern life and thought—in religion, ethics and theology."

THE *American Agriculturist* has reached its semi-centennial issue, and has published a very handsome number in memorial of the occasion, giving an exhaustive review of the improvement in all farming interests during the long period of its successful life. Mr. A. B. Allen, the founder

of this great national magazine, is still living at the venerable age of ninety years, and takes pride in contributing an article from time to time to the magazine he worked for with no ordinary courage fifty years ago. In 1856 Mr. Orange Judd bought the good-will and entire property of the paper, then in its fourteenth year. He possessed a keen perception of the wants of the people, and a remarkable faculty of drawing to himself acknowledged authorities in various specialties. In 1883 Mr. D. W. Judd superseded his brother as President of the Orange Judd Company, and in 1888 a controlling interest of the company was bought by its present owners, with Mr. Edward H. Phelps as President. Mr. Phelps has since retired, and Mr. Herbert Myrick has become President, and Mr. George S. Traves, Treasurer and Business Manager. Agricultural science has made giant progress during the past fifty years, and this magazine has always been fully abreast of its subject. It begins its second half century with the brightest prospects, and its semi-centennial number is a guarantee of its continued devotion to the wants of its army of subscribers.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS have just issued an index to *Scribner's Magazine*, covering the ten volumes thus far published, with an introduction giving an account of the more notable achievements in the history of the periodical. The magazine in a comparatively short period of time has furnished a wealth of material, much of which is of lasting importance either purely as literature or for the value of its information. We recall a few of the articles which, since their issue in this magazine, have taken an enviable place in contemporary literature, such for instance, as the unpublished letters of Thackeray, edited by Mr. Brookfield and arranged by James Russell Lowell; Minister Washburne's reminiscences of the Siege and Commune of Paris; the Diaries of Gouverneur Morris; McCulloch's memoirs, Lester Wallack's autobiography; the "railway," "electric" and steamship articles; Prof. Shaler's series on the "Aspects of the Earth," etc.; the articles of description, exploration and adventure, by Stanley Jephson, Dr. Lumholtz, Herbert Ward, Edwin Arnold and others; the many articles on practical means of improvement in the conditions of life, among which may be lifted out Mr. Linn's paper on building and loan associations; Mr. Riis' series on the tenement population of New York, which, under the title "How the Other Half Lives," have become well known here and abroad. In fiction also the magazine has brought out especially good work, such as Stevenson's "Master of Ballantrae" and "The Wrecker," the anonymous serial "Jerry," Frederic's "In the Valley," Bunner's "Story of a New York House," Octave Thanet's "Expiation," and many others.

NOTES AND QUERIES.

SEVERAL correspondents doubt the statement that recently appeared in THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY that Daniel Webster canvassed for subscriptions for de Tocqueville's "Democracy in America." Our informant admits that it seems improbable that Webster should have taken subscriptions before 1801 for a work written by a man who wasn't born until 1805. However, he claims that Webster actually did work as a book canvasser, but fails to remember what he sold. Does any one know?

BUSINESS NOTES.

CHAMBERSBURG, PA.—The book business of the late J. N. Snider will be continued under the old firm-name, for the benefit of the heirs, by Edwin T. Snider, executor of the estate.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Sprague's handsome bookstore at 531 West Madison Street was completely destroyed by fire on the 10th of January.

CINCINNATI, O.—According to the *Commercial Gazette* the stock and affairs of the Thomson Company were put into the hands of F. D. Goodhue as receiver on the evening of January 20. Earlier in the day the company had confessed judgment in favor of the Citizens' National Bank for \$10,324.80. The insolvent firm is a lineal descendant of Peter G. Thomson & Co., one of the leading publishing houses in its line in the West. Twice has the name been changed before it became Thomson & Co. At one time the business was done under the name of S. C. Cox & Co. Mr. Cox had an option of purchase at \$22,000, but for some reason he did not choose to buy, and the business drifted into the hands of the present company, which was incorporated under the Kentucky law November 10, 1890, with a capital stock of \$50,000. The Directory includes Mr. C. C. Bragg, President; C. H. Thomson, Vice-President; S. P. Cheseldine, Secretary and Treasurer; C. F. Hofer and William Von Steinwehr. The Braggs have all along been the principal financial backers of the concern. At one time they had a mortgage on it for \$40,000. The mortgage was lifted, we believe, at the time of the organization of the present company. The reason given for the withdrawal of the Braggs is their intention to visit Europe. The Thomson Company are publishers, engravers and importers of art novelties. Mr. Goodhue, as trustee of vested interests, has been in charge of the business for some time, and is familiar therewith. The assets, according to the assignee, on a very low estimate, aggregate \$37,650, and actually represent a selling stock of \$65,000. The liabilities, outside of the notes held by the Citizens' Bank, amount to only \$14,000, and he thinks there will be no trouble in paying every claim in full. It is further stated that Mr. Chas. H. Thomson will buy out the stationery department, and take care of all the dies, presses, monograms, etc. There will be no interruption to the business, and he will probably continue it at the old stand.

CRETE, NEB.—E. C. Stebbins, bookseller, is about to sell out.

DAVENPORT, IA.—Gabriel Brunold, bookseller and stationer, is dead.

DELAVER, WIS.—J. H. Camp, bookseller, has sold out.

DENVER, COL.—J. T. Fisher has disposed of his interest in the book business of Paradise & Fisher.

EAST ST. LOUIS, MO.—Dougherty "Lights and Shadows" Book Company has been incorporated to publish a book entitled "The Lights and Shadows of American Society." Capital stock reported to be \$5000. Incorporators, W. J. Dougherty, Milton C. Brown and David S. Sage.

FORT WAYNE, IND.—F. W. Berens, of the firm of Hauck & Berens, booksellers, is dead.

KEOKUK, IA.—The Clark-Johnson Company has changed its name to the Keokuk Book and Stationery Company. At a recent meeting of the stockholders J. H. Sturgis was elected President and G. C. Johnson was re-elected Manager.

LA CROSSE, WIS.—E. C. Dailey, bookseller, has sold out. A. F. Kennedy, bookseller and stationer of this city, has recently died.

NEWARK, OHIO.—E. L. Horney, of Horney & Son, of Chillicothe, O., and T. M. Edmiston have purchased the book, stationery and wall-paper business of Hammond & Son at this place, and will continue the business under the firm-name of Horney & Edmiston. This will in no way interfere with the business of Horney & Son, Chillicothe O., which will be conducted under its present management. The Newark store will be in charge of Mr. Edmiston, but Eastern representatives wishing to make business engagements had better arrange with Mr. E. L. Horney, of Chillicothe, O.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Brentanos are now fully under way again in their new store, 124 Fifth Avenue. In fact, the business suffered practically no interruption. At the time of the fire their carpenter was making some alterations in their Union Square store. As soon as they had made arrangements for their new headquarters the carpenter was sent there, and by working a large force of men all night they succeeded in getting the shelving up in their store. On the day following a carefully-selected stock (made up also over night) was in the store and being put into place as rapidly as possible, customers in the mean time being served with what was on hand and orders taken for the rest. The whole affair shows in the strongest light the pluck, enterprise and intelligence of this firm and its able staff.

NEW YORK CITY.—A despatch to the *New York Tribune*, dated Boston, January 30, says: "One of the largest personal mortgages ever received at the [Boston] City Hall was put upon record to-day. It is made by the United States Book Company to the Manhattan Trust Company, of New York, and covers property in publishing houses in New York, Boston, Cambridge and Chicago. The amount of the mortgage is \$1,000,000. It is reported that the United States Book Co. has succeeded in placing all the stock recently advertised for sale.

NEW YORK CITY.—It is presumed that the Welch-Fracker Co. is no longer in existence. Letters addressed to them remain unanswered; neither is any one at their late address able to give any information of the firm further than the vague word that "they have been sold out."

NEW YORK CITY.—The firm of Allison & Wilson, booksellers and stationers, 16 West 125th Street, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. J. Wilson continuing the business.

NEW YORK CITY.—On February 1 Mr. Charles T. Dillingham admitted his nephew, Edwin L. Dillingham, to a partnership, changing the firm-name to Charles T. Dillingham & Co. Mr. Edwin Dillingham is a Yale graduate, and began his business career in Wall Street. The last eight years he has served in the book business, at first with Charles T. Dillingham, then with Ticknor & Co., and latterly with Lee & Shepard.

PITTSBURG, PA.—A. W. McCloy has succeeded to the business of McKnight's bookstore.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

JOHN WILEY & SONS have in preparation "Valve-Gears for the Steam-Engine," by Prof. C. H. Peabody.

HENRY HOLT & CO. will shortly publish a translation of "Geschichte der Philosophie," by Dr. W. Windelband, Professor in the University of Strassburg.

MARCH BROTHERS have published the entire list of publications of the Teachers' Publishing Co., of New York City, and will hereafter issue them from their house at Lebanon, O.

THROUGH a typographical error in our issue of January 23, Miss Yonge's new novel, "That Stick," appeared in Macmillan & Co.'s advertisement as "That Tick." Our readers will note the difference.

A. C. ARMSTRONG & SON will publish at once the two new volumes of the works on ancient art by Perrot and Chipiez, the same being a "History of Art in Persia, Phrygia, Lydia, Caria and Lycia," with about five hundred illustrations.

THE W. J. JOHNSON CO., limited, have ready "The Electric Railway in Theory and Practice," a complete treatise on the construction and operation of electric railways by O. T. Crosby and Dr. Louis Bell, fully illustrated and wholly practical.

THE I. H. BROWN PUBLISHING CO., St. Louis, have just ready "The Hygiene of Consumption," by W. John Harris, and will shortly issue "Huntington, or, scenes of real life," by Theresa J. Freeman, which will be the second volume in the *Brown Library*.

ROBERTS BROTHERS inform us that the first edition of "A Last Harvest," by Philip Bourke Marston, was exhausted on day of publication. A new edition will be ready shortly. They have in press a volume of Theodore Parker's West Roxbury discourses.

THE CASSELL PUBLISHING COMPANY will publish this month "Across Thibet," by Gabriel Bonvalot, author of "Through the Heart of Asia," with upward of one hundred illustrations, made principally from photographs taken by Prince Henry of Orleans.

FLEMING H. REVELL COMPANY will publish at once a work under the title of "Steps to Christ," by Mrs. E. G. White. "Steps to Christ" is described as being "not alone suitable as a guide to the inquirer and young convert, but rich in thought and suggestion for the most mature Christian."

Two volumes of discourses by that famous preacher, Dr. William Magee, the late Archbishop of York, will be published during February by Thomas Whittaker, under the titles "Growth in Grace" and "Christ the Light of All Scripture." Both will be uniform with "The Gospel and the Age," now in its fourth edition.

L. R. HAMERSLEY & Co., Philadelphia, announce that the "History of the United States Marine Corps," by Capt. Richard S. Cullum, is nearly ready. It will contain incidents heretofore unpublished of the service, embracing a period of 150 years, with a number of full-page portraits of distinguished officers.

THE editor of the London journal printing W. D. Howells' new story, "The Quality of Mercy," as "John Northwick, Defaulter," explains that the change was made because it was

discovered that a contemporary was printing a story under the same title as "Quality of Mercy." The name originally chosen by Mr. Howells was "The Mercy of God."

MRS. HUMPHRY WARD's new novel, "The History of David Grieve," has proved so great a success that the publishers have decided to issue at once an edition in larger type in two volumes uniform in size and style with the *Eversley* edition of Charles Kingsley's works. The new edition will be printed by Berwick & Smith in Boston, and will be ready before the end of the month.

THE HOMANS PUBLISHING COMPANY, 251 Broadway, New York City, have now ready "The Banker's Almanac and Register and Legal Directory for January, 1892," the pioneer bank directory, which has now earned for itself an unassailable position by accuracy and completeness. A volume is published semi-annually, and subscribers are furnished monthly with lists of new banks, projected banks, closed banks, etc., without extra charge.

A. M. THAYER & Co. published January 29 the long-promised "Autobiography and Personal Reminiscences of Major-General Benjamin F. Butler." The book is dedicated "To the Good and Brave Soldiers of the Grand Army of the Republic." In his preface the General gives as one reason for the publication, "to correct much of wrong done to myself by a prejudiced misrepresentation of facts and circumstances as to my own acts in the service of the country."

"SHORT STORIES" for February (published by the Current Literature Company, 30 W. 23d Street, N. Y.), contains translations from the Italian of Misasi and the French of Halévy and Allais. "The Were-Wolf" is an awful tale from the Danish of Clemence Housman. "Bob Angel's Vision," by W. C. Morrow, is a notable sketch, and "The Mem Sahib," a true story of recent events in India. The famous story for the month is Robert Buchanan's "Sandie Macpherson."

D. LOTHROP COMPANY will publish at once a collection of delightful short stories by Mary E. Wilkins, entitled "The Pot of Gold;" a dainty little Easter book, fully illustrated, entitled "Immortal Hopes," by Mrs. M. J. C. Foster; a new book by "Pansy" (Mrs. G. R. Alden), called "The Exact Truth;" and a Christian Endeavor story by "Pansy's" niece, Miss Grace Livingston, entitled "The Parkertown Delegate." They also announce a new edition of "How We are Governed," by Anna Laurens Dawes; and of "Pansies for Thoughts."

THE library of the late George Bancroft includes a large number of volumes of various editions of his history as prepared for revision. It may not be generally known that Mr. Bancroft practically did not get through revising his history until shortly before his death, and that every new impression of his work differed from its predecessors in some slight particular—a correction of a typographical error, possibly some slight verbal change, at any rate a change of some kind; and in that particular perhaps his history will in time have an additional value to the antiquarian.

FORDS, HOWARD & HULBERT have just issued a new and revised edition of Stoddard's "Abraham Lincoln," the first chapters having been en-

tirely rewritten to embody much new material; and a new revised edition of Prof. Jacob Harris Patton's "A Concise History of the American People." They announce for immediate publication "Teacher and Preacher," a sketch of the life of Thomas Rambaut, the widely-known Baptist pastor, by Norman Fox; also, "Early Grants and Incorporations of the town of Ware, Mass.," by Edward H. Gilbert, an interesting bit of early formative New England history.

FUNK & WAGNALLS Co. are to publish "The Columbian Historical Novels," by Mr. John Musick, of which the first volume entitled, "Columbia," was brought out by Worthington last July. The twelve novels planned by the author will give a complete history of the United States from the discovery of America to the present day. They will represent twelve ages of progress: 1, the age of discovery; 2, conquest; 3, bigotry; 4, colonization; 5, reason; 6, tyranny; 7, superstition; 8, contention of powers for supremacy; 9, independence; 10, liberty established; 11, supremacy abroad; 12, union. The books will be issued one every sixty days.

MACMILLAN & Co. announce for early publication a practical work on electric lighting entitled "A Guide to Electric Lighting for Householders and Amateurs." The author is S. R. Bottone, well known by his previous books on electrical subjects. In order to make the book thoroughly serviceable to readers in this country the proofs have been read by an American scientist, for the purpose of supplying any needed explanation of merely local usage. They will publish this month in their series of copyright novels "Denzil Quarrier," a new story by George Gissing, author of "Demos," and other stories of modern socialism and London life. In the same series also will shortly be issued a novel by the Hon. Emily Lawless, called "Grania: the story of an island."

A BILL has been introduced into Congress which provides for the purchase of the library of Hubert Howe Bancroft, of San Francisco. No such aggregation of rare Americana is to be found elsewhere. As is well known, Mr. Bancroft made use of the best efforts of intelligent and discriminating collectors, who were wise enough to select and brave enough to buy even when prices were up to values. The most valuable things in the library are the hundreds of volumes of original manuscripts—rare and precious uniques—in Spanish and English, which have been carefully arranged and indexed. Upon these it is impossible to place a money value; they are priceless. It seems desirable that so valuable a collection of material relating to the early history of our country should find a place in our national library.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS have almost ready "A Dictionary of Hymnology," edited by John Julien, setting forth the origin and history of the Christian hymns of all ages and nations; and "Germanic Origins: a study in primitive culture," by Francis B. Gummere, a book about the sources of language, literature and institutions of the great English-speaking race. New theological works in preparation are: "The Pauline Theology," by George B. Stevens, of Yale University, a study of the origin and correlation of the doctrinal teachings of the Apostle Paul, characterized by wide scholarship and ripe thought; and "Oriental Religions and Christianity," by F. F. Ellinwood, which embodies

the Ely lectures for 1891. "The Realm of Nature," by Hugh R. Mill, of the University of Edinburgh, with maps and illustrations, is the new volume in the *University Extension Manuals*; "The Youth of the Duchess of Angoulême" is the first of some new volumes by Imbert de Saint-Amand, to deal with famous French women of the period of the Restoration; and "Vain Fortune" is a new novel by George Moore, describing unfamiliar phases of London life.

D. APPLETON & Co. have made complete preparation to publish in close succession a *Holland Fiction Series*, which will be full of interest for American readers. There exists in Holland at this moment a group of young writers, most of them between twenty-five and thirty-five years of age, whose poems and stories are full of beauty and delicacy, although composed in direct opposition to the existing canons of Dutch taste. These young writers are of a school to which the name *Sensitivism* has been applied. Edmund Gosse explains *sensitivism* as "a development of impressionism, grafted upon nationalism, as a frail and exotic bud may be set in the rough basis of a thorn. It preserves the delicacy of sensation of the one and strengthens it by the exactitude and conscientiousness of the other, yet without giving way to the vagaries of impressionism, or to the brutality of mere realism. It aims, in fact, at retaining the best, and nothing but the best, of the experiments of the French during the last quarter of a century." The Appletons will inaugurate their series with "Eline Vere," a novel by Louis Marie Anne Couperus, one of the youngest writers of the new school. He was born at the Hague in 1863. At the age of ten he was taken to Java, and spent five years in Batavia. On his return to the Hague he began life as a teacher. "Eline Vere" is a novel of modern life in the Hague, and Edmund Gosse pronounces it an admirable performance. His newest work, "Footsteps of Fate" will shortly follow, and "Suspected," by Louis Stratenus, and a new novel by Maarten Maartens are also already under way. They announce a new volume by Arabella B. Buckley, author of "The Fairyland of Science" and "Life and Her Children," which is to be entitled "Moral Teaching of Science;" and have just ready a new novel by Ada Cambridge, author of that bright Australian story, "The Three Miss Kings," which will be called "Not All In Vain" and will be issued in their carefully selected *Town and Country Library*.

THE next volume of the *Book-Lover's Library* will be "Books Condemned to be Burnt," by Mr. James A. Farrer.

KEGAN PAUL, TRENCH, TRÜBNER & Co. have in press a new book by A. P. Sinnett, the author of "Esoteric Buddhism," which will be entitled "The Rationale of Mesmerism."

THE *Athenæum* says M. Rénan's fourth volume of "The History of Israel" has grown so much that it will be divided into two parts. Both will appear toward October next, with the complete index to the four volumes.

THE [London] *Publishers' Circular* understands that Mr. Gladstone is likely to write a general preface to the edition of his speeches which Methuen & Co. are preparing, and to which reference was made some months ago. A self-criticism by the veteran statesman would indeed be interesting.

AUCTION SALES.

[We shall be pleased to insert under this heading, without charge, advance notices of auction sales to be held anywhere in the United States. Word must reach us before Wednesday evening, to be in time for issue of same week.]

FEBRUARY 16, 2:30 P.M.—Fine and rare editions of Greek and Latin classics and English authors—the collection of Prof. Oliver P. Steves, of Trenton, N. J.—*Phil.*, Thomas Birch's Sons; Stan. V. Henkels, auctioneer.

FEBRUARY 10, 11, 7 P.M.—Miscellaneous, Law and a few medical books. (507 lots.)—Washington, D. C., Thos. Dowling & Son.

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 Britannica, 25 v., Scribner ed., stamped shp.
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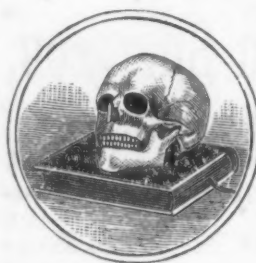
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